

Resolved, That this state has seen with deep regret, the refusal on the part of Virginia, to leave the settlement of these boundaries to friendly arbitration, as proposed by this state.

Resolved, That the Attorney General of this state be and he is hereby requested to cause suit to be instituted in the name of "The State of Maryland" against "The Commonwealth of Virginia," in such manner and form as may be technically required, in the Supreme Court of the United States, for the purpose of procuring a final legal adjustment and settlement of the southern and western boundaries of this state.

Resolved, That the Governor and Council of this State, be and they are hereby authorised and requested to select and employ two additional counsel, to assist the Attorney General, one of whom shall be requested to collect and prepare the evidence, written or oral, to illustrate and establish the claims and pretensions of this state in regard to our southern and western boundaries.

Resolved, That all adversary proceedings on the part of this state, against the state of Virginia, shall cease at any time before suit brought or final judgement, when that state shall accept the overtures of Maryland, made by her resolutions at December session, 1831.

Resolved, That the Governor of this state be authorised and requested to transmit to the Governor of Virginia, a copy of the foregoing report and resolutions as soon as practicable.

By order,
WM. I. BLAKISTONE, Ch'man.

By the House of Delegates,
Feb. 6th, 1834.

Read the first time, made the order of the day for the 13th inst. and ordered to be printed.

By order,
Louis Gassaway, Cl'k.